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Harrisburg-Carlisle, PA	Const, mining, logging	12,300	13,800	12%	1,500	1
Anderson, IN	Const, mining, logging	1,600	1,700	6%	100	2
Columbus, IN	Const, mining, logging	2,200	2,300	5%	100	3
Bismarck, ND	Const, mining, logging	3,700	3,800	3%	100	4
Tulsa, OK	Construction	23,000	23,700	3%	700	4
Fargo, ND-MN	Const, mining, logging	7,700	7,800	1%	100	6
Danville, IL	Const, mining, logging	900	900	0%	0	7
Davenport-Moline-Rock Island, IA-IL	Const, mining, logging	9,300	9,300	0%	0	7
Elmira, NY	Const, mining, logging	1,700	1,700	0%	0	7
Fort Smith, AR-OK	Const, mining, logging	8,800	8,800	0%	0	7
Kankakee-Bradley, IL	Const, mining, logging	1,700	1,700	0%	0	7
Sandusky, OH	Const, mining, logging	1,100	1,100	0%	0	7
Springfield, OH	Const, mining, logging	1,400	1,400	0%	0	7
Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers, AR-MO	Const, mining, logging	10,100	10,000	-1%	-100	14
Fort Worth-Arlington, TX Metropolitan Division	Const, mining, logging	66,800	66,400	-1%	-400	14
Lincoln, NE	Const, mining, logging	7,700	7,600	-1%	-100	14
Little Rock-North Little Rock-Conway, AR	Const, mining, logging	19,400	19,200	-1%	-200	14
Binghamton, NY	Const, mining, logging	4,300	4,200	-2%	-100	18
Champaign-Urbana, IL	Const, mining, logging	4,600	4,500	-2%	-100	18
New Haven, CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	10,900	10,700	-2%	-200	18
Roanoke, VA	Const, mining, logging	10,300	10,100	-2%	-200	18
San Antonio, TX	Construction	53,100	51,900	-2%	-1,200	18
Baton Rouge, LA	Construction	43,100	41,800	-3%	-1,300	23
Decatur, IL	Const, mining, logging	3,900	3,800	-3%	-100	23
Longview, WA	Const, mining, logging	3,300	3,200	-3%	-100	23
Omaha-Council Bluffs, NE-IA	Const, mining, logging	25,700	24,900	-3%	-800	23
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles, CA	Const, mining, logging	5,900	5,700	-3%	-200	23
Coeur d'Alene, ID	Construction	5,200	5,000	-4%	-200	28
Columbus, OH	Const, mining, logging	34,300	32,900	-4%	-1,400	28
Grand Forks, ND-MN	Const, mining, logging	2,600	2,500	-4%	-100	28
Lewiston-Auburn, ME NECTA	Const, mining, logging	2,300	2,200	-4%	-100	28
Madison, WI	Const, mining, logging	16,000	15,300	-4%	-700	28
Manchester, NH NECTA	Const, mining, logging	4,700	4,500	-4%	-200	28
Michigan City-La Porte, IN	Const, mining, logging	2,300	2,200	-4%	-100	28
Odessa, TX	Const, mining, logging	13,500	13,000	-4%	-500	28
Sheboygan, WI	Const, mining, logging	2,300	2,200	-4%	-100	28
Shreveport-Bossier City, LA	Construction	9,300	8,900	-4%	-400	28
Springfield, IL	Const, mining, logging	5,000	4,800	-4%	-200	28
Syracuse, NY	Const, mining, logging	14,000	13,400	-4%	-600	28
Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News, VA-NC	Const, mining, logging	44,400	42,800	-4%	-1,600	28
Wichita, KS	Const, mining, logging	16,700	16,100	-4%	-600	28
College Station-Bryan, TX	Const, mining, logging	7,500	7,100	-5%	-400	42
Columbia, SC	Const, mining, logging	19,600	18,600	-5%	-1,000	42
Edison-New Brunswick, NJ Metropolitan Division	Const, mining, logging	44,900	42,700	-5%	-2,200	42
Elizabethtown, KY	Const, mining, logging	2,100	2,000	-5%	-100	42
Houma-Bayou Cane-Thibodaux, LA	Construction	5,800	5,500	-5%	-300	42
Northern Virginia, VA	Const, mining, logging	77,100	73,600	-5%	-3,500	42
Peoria, IL	Const, mining, logging	10,000	9,500	-5%	-500	42
Putnam-Rockland-Westchester, NY	Const, mining, logging	38,900	36,800	-5%	-2,100	42
Rochester, MN	Const, mining, logging	4,000	3,800	-5%	-200	42
Sioux Falls, SD	Const, mining, logging	7,900	7,500	-5%	-400	42
Tyler, TX	Const, mining, logging	6,500	6,200	-5%	-300	42
Utica-Rome, NY	Const, mining, logging	3,900	3,700	-5%	-200	42
York-Hanover, PA	Const, mining, logging	12,900	12,200	-5%	-700	42
Appleton, WI	Const, mining, logging	8,200	7,700	-6%	-500	55
Bethesda-Frederick-Rockville, MD Metropolitan Division	Const, mining, logging	39,100	36,900	-6%	-2,200	55
Bloomington-Normal, IL	Const, mining, logging	3,200	3,000	-6%	-200	55
Buffalo-Niagara Falls, NY	Const, mining, logging	21,400	20,200	-6%	-1,200	55
Cincinnati-Middletown, OH-KY-IN	Const, mining, logging	47,100	44,200	-6%	-2,900	55
Cleveland, TN	Const, mining, logging	1,700	1,600	-6%	-100	55
Fort Wayne, IN	Const, mining, logging	10,700	10,100	-6%	-600	55
Gadsden, AL	Const, mining, logging	1,700	1,600	-6%	-100	55
Kansas City, KS	Const, mining, logging	20,700	19,500	-6%	-1,200	55
Kansas City, MO	Const, mining, logging	28,300	26,500	-6%	-1,800	55
Lawton, OK	Const, mining, logging	1,700	1,600	-6%	-100	55
Longview, TX	Const, mining, logging	13,900	13,100	-6%	-800	55
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, TX	Const, mining, logging	10,500	9,900	-6%	-600	55
Nashua, NH-MA NECTA Division	Const, mining, logging	5,000	4,700	-6%	-300	55
Oshkosh-Neenah, WI	Const, mining, logging	3,400	3,200	-6%	-200	55
Rapid City, SD	Const, mining, logging	4,900	4,600	-6%	-300	55
Reading, PA	Const, mining, logging	8,900	8,400	-6%	-500	55
Rochester, NY	Construction	19,700	18,500	-6%	-1,200	55
Tallahassee, FL	Const, mining, logging	7,900	7,400	-6%	-500	55
Washington, D.C.	Const, mining, logging	12,700	12,000	-6%	-700	55
Weirton-Steubenville, WV-OH	Const, mining, logging	3,600	3,400	-6%	-200	55
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton, PA-NJ	Const, mining, logging	16,000	14,900	-7%	-1,100	76

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Amarillo, TX	Const, mining, logging	8,100	7,500	-7%	-600	76
Anchorage, AK	Construction	10,700	9,900	-7%	-800	76
Austin-Round Rock, TX	Const, mining, logging	46,700	43,400	-7%	-3,300	76
Cedar Rapids, IA	Const, mining, logging	9,000	8,400	-7%	-600	76
Charleston, WV	Const, mining, logging	17,900	16,600	-7%	-1,300	76
Dayton, OH	Const, mining, logging	13,400	12,400	-7%	-1,000	76
Evansville, IN-KY	Const, mining, logging	13,700	12,800	-7%	-900	76
Gainesville, FL	Const, mining, logging	5,500	5,100	-7%	-400	76
Gulfport-Biloxi, MS	Const, mining, logging	6,700	6,200	-7%	-500	76
Kingston, NY	Const, mining, logging	2,800	2,600	-7%	-200	76
La Crosse, WI-MN	Const, mining, logging	2,700	2,500	-7%	-200	76
Lafayette, LA	Construction	7,200	6,700	-7%	-500	76
Lake Charles, LA	Construction	10,700	9,900	-7%	-800	76
Lewiston, ID-WA	Construction	1,400	1,300	-7%	-100	76
Lubbock, TX	Const, mining, logging	6,100	5,700	-7%	-400	76
Owensboro, KY	Const, mining, logging	2,900	2,700	-7%	-200	76
Portsmouth, NH-ME NECTA	Const, mining, logging	1,500	1,400	-7%	-100	76
Poughkeepsie-Newburgh-Middletown, NY	Const, mining, logging	11,700	10,900	-7%	-800	76
Rockford, IL	Const, mining, logging	7,200	6,700	-7%	-500	76
Springfield, MO	Const, mining, logging	9,700	9,000	-7%	-700	76
Visalia-Porterville, CA	Const, mining, logging	5,800	5,400	-7%	-400	76
Akron, OH	Const, mining, logging	13,600	12,500	-8%	-1,100	98
Bakersfield, CA	Construction	15,400	14,100	-8%	-1,300	98
Bloomington, IN	Const, mining, logging	3,600	3,300	-8%	-300	98
Green Bay, WI	Const, mining, logging	7,900	7,300	-8%	-600	98
Hanford-Corcoran, CA	Const, mining, logging	1,300	1,200	-8%	-100	98
Idaho Falls, ID	Const, mining, logging	3,700	3,400	-8%	-300	98
Ithaca, NY	Const, mining, logging	1,300	1,200	-8%	-100	98
Jackson, MS	Construction	13,000	11,900	-8%	-1,100	98
Killeen-Temple-Fort Hood, TX	Const, mining, logging	5,900	5,400	-8%	-500	98
Lancaster, PA	Const, mining, logging	16,900	15,600	-8%	-1,300	98
Memphis, TN-MS-AR	Const, mining, logging	25,000	23,100	-8%	-1,900	98
Midland, TX	Const, mining, logging	16,600	15,300	-8%	-1,300	98
Monroe, MI	Const, mining, logging	2,600	2,400	-8%	-200	98
New York City, NY	Const, mining, logging	128,800	118,900	-8%	-9,900	98
Ocala, FL	Const, mining, logging	9,200	8,500	-8%	-700	98
Oklahoma City, OK	Construction	27,900	25,800	-8%	-2,100	98
Peabody, MA NECTA Division	Const, mining, logging	3,600	3,300	-8%	-300	98
Pittsburgh, PA	Construction	58,800	54,100	-8%	-4,700	98
Santa Rosa-Petaluma, CA	Construction	12,200	11,200	-8%	-1,000	98
Sherman-Denison, TX	Const, mining, logging	2,600	2,400	-8%	-200	98
Topeka, KS	Const, mining, logging	6,100	5,600	-8%	-500	98
Trenton-Ewing, NJ	Const, mining, logging	6,200	5,700	-8%	-500	98
Yuba City, CA	Const, mining, logging	2,400	2,200	-8%	-200	98
Barnstable Town, MA NECTA	Const, mining, logging	5,700	5,200	-9%	-500	121
Bremerton-Silverdale, WA	Const, mining, logging	5,500	5,000	-9%	-500	121
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk, CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	15,100	13,800	-9%	-1,300	121
Camden, NJ Metropolitan Division	Const, mining, logging	24,600	22,300	-9%	-2,300	121
Charleston-North Charleston-Summerville, SC	Const, mining, logging	19,500	17,800	-9%	-1,700	121
Dallas-Plano-Irving, TX Metropolitan Division	Const, mining, logging	124,200	112,700	-9%	-11,500	121
El Paso, TX	Const, mining, logging	15,900	14,500	-9%	-1,400	121
Erie, PA	Const, mining, logging	4,300	3,900	-9%	-400	121
Greenville-Mauldin-Easley, SC	Const, mining, logging	17,300	15,800	-9%	-1,500	121
Hagerstown-Martinsburg, MD-WV	Const, mining, logging	5,500	5,000	-9%	-500	121
Johnson City, TN	Const, mining, logging	3,300	3,000	-9%	-300	121
Lafayette, IN	Const, mining, logging	3,500	3,200	-9%	-300	121
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis, WI	Construction	32,800	29,800	-9%	-3,000	121
Modesto, CA	Const, mining, logging	8,800	8,000	-9%	-800	121
New Orleans-Metairie-Kenner, LA	Construction	34,100	31,200	-9%	-2,900	121
Newark-Union, NJ-PA Metropolitan Division	Const, mining, logging	43,200	39,400	-9%	-3,800	121
Port St. Lucie, FL	Const, mining, logging	10,600	9,600	-9%	-1,000	121
San Angelo, TX	Const, mining, logging	3,500	3,200	-9%	-300	121
San Diego-Carlsbad-San Marcos, CA	Construction	71,900	65,200	-9%	-6,700	121
St. Cloud, MN	Const, mining, logging	4,600	4,200	-9%	-400	121
Terre Haute, IN	Const, mining, logging	3,500	3,200	-9%	-300	121
Toledo, OH	Const, mining, logging	12,900	11,700	-9%	-1,200	121
Birmingham-Hoover, AL	Construction	31,100	28,000	-10%	-3,100	143
Canton-Massillon, OH	Const, mining, logging	7,800	7,000	-10%	-800	143
Casper, WY	Construction	3,000	2,700	-10%	-300	143
Eau Claire, WI	Const, mining, logging	2,900	2,600	-10%	-300	143
Elkhart-Goshen, IN	Const, mining, logging	4,100	3,700	-10%	-400	143
Eugene-Springfield, OR	Construction	7,100	6,400	-10%	-700	143
Glens Falls, NY	Const, mining, logging	2,900	2,600	-10%	-300	143
Grand Rapids-Wyoming, MI	Const, mining, logging	16,200	14,600	-10%	-1,600	143
Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton, NC	Const, mining, logging	4,900	4,400	-10%	-500	143
Huntsville, AL	Const, mining, logging	7,700	6,900	-10%	-800	143

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Janesville, WI	Const, mining, logging	3,100	2,800	-10%	-300	143
Lima, OH	Const, mining, logging	2,100	1,900	-10%	-200	143
Mansfield, OH	Const, mining, logging	2,000	1,800	-10%	-200	143
Mobile, AL	Const, mining, logging	15,300	13,700	-10%	-1,600	143
Muncie, IN	Const, mining, logging	2,000	1,800	-10%	-200	143
Oakland-Fremont-Hayward, CA Metropolitan Division	Construction	61,900	55,800	-10%	-6,100	143
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent, FL	Const, mining, logging	12,000	10,800	-10%	-1,200	143
Racine, WI	Const, mining, logging	3,000	2,700	-10%	-300	143
Sebastian-Vero Beach, FL	Const, mining, logging	4,100	3,700	-10%	-400	143
South Bend-Mishawaka, IN-MI	Const, mining, logging	6,100	5,500	-10%	-600	143
St. Louis, MO-IL	Const, mining, logging	78,100	70,200	-10%	-7,900	143
Vineland-Millville-Bridgeton, NJ	Const, mining, logging	3,000	2,700	-10%	-300	143
Waco, TX	Const, mining, logging	6,100	5,500	-10%	-600	143
Worcester, MA-CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	9,200	8,300	-10%	-900	143
Abilene, TX	Const, mining, logging	6,100	5,400	-11%	-700	167
Atlantic City-Hamilton, NJ	Const, mining, logging	6,200	5,500	-11%	-700	167
Auburn-Opelika, AL	Const, mining, logging	2,700	2,400	-11%	-300	167
Bend, OR	Const, mining, logging	5,700	5,100	-11%	-600	167
Colorado Springs, CO	Const, mining, logging	15,600	13,900	-11%	-1,700	167
Dothan, AL	Const, mining, logging	3,700	3,300	-11%	-400	167
Dover, DE	Const, mining, logging	2,800	2,500	-11%	-300	167
Fond du Lac, WI	Const, mining, logging	3,500	3,100	-11%	-400	167
Gary, IN Metropolitan Division	Construction	18,800	16,700	-11%	-2,100	167
Laredo, TX	Const, mining, logging	4,400	3,900	-11%	-500	167
Lexington-Fayette, KY	Const, mining, logging	12,700	11,300	-11%	-1,400	167
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale, CA Metropolitan Division	Construction	137,400	122,800	-11%	-14,600	167
Louisville-Jefferson County, KY-IN	Const, mining, logging	33,400	29,600	-11%	-3,800	167
Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford, MA-NH NECTA Division	Const. minina, loaqina	6,500	5,800	-11%	-700	167
Montgomery, AL	Const, mining, logging	8,000	7,100	-11%	-900	167
Napa, CA	Const, mining, logging	3,700	3,300	-11%	-400	167
Olympia, WA	Const, mining, logging	5,500	4,900	-11%	-600	167
Pascagoula, MS	Const, mining, logging	4,400	3,900	-11%	-500	167
Punta Gorda, FL	Const, mining, logging	3,600	3,200	-11%	-400	167
Richmond, VA	Const, mining, logging	40,500	36,000	-11%	-4,500	167
Rochester-Dover, NH-ME NECTA	Const, mining, logging	1,800	1,600	-11%	-200	167
Scranton--Wilkes-Barre, PA	Const, mining, logging	10,800	9,600	-11%	-1,200	167
Tacoma, WA Metropolitan Division	Construction	22,200	19,800	-11%	-2,400	167
Tuscaloosa, AL	Const, mining, logging	8,800	7,800	-11%	-1,000	167
Vallejo-Fairfield, CA	Construction	8,400	7,500	-11%	-900	167
Waterbury, CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	2,800	2,500	-11%	-300	167
Wausau, WI	Const, mining, logging	2,800	2,500	-11%	-300	167
Youngstown-Warren-Boardman, OH-PA	Const, mining, logging	9,800	8,700	-11%	-1,100	167
Beaumont-Port Arthur, TX	Const, mining, logging	20,000	17,700	-12%	-2,300	195
Bowling Green, KY	Const, mining, logging	3,300	2,900	-12%	-400	195
Cheyenne, WY	Const, mining, logging	3,300	2,900	-0.12	-400	195
Corpus Christi, TX	Const, mining, logging	21,900	19,300	-12%	-2,600	195
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach, FL	Const, mining, logging	11,100	9,800	-12%	-1,300	195
Durham-Chapel Hill, NC	Const, mining, logging	9,700	8,500	-12%	-1,200	195
Framingham, MA NECTA Division	Const, mining, logging	7,300	6,400	-12%	-900	195
Fresno, CA	Construction	16,900	14,800	-12%	-2,100	195
Haverhill-North Andover-Amesbury, MA-NH NECTA Division	Const, mining, logging	4,300	3,800	-12%	-500	195
Lake County-Kenosha County, IL-WI Metropolitan Division	Construction	18,900	16,700	-12%	-2,200	195
Providence-Fall River-Warwick, RI-MA NECTA	Construction	25,000	22,000	-12%	-3,000	195
Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Goleta, CA	Construction	9,300	8,200	-12%	-1,100	195
Victoria, TX	Const, mining, logging	7,500	6,600	-12%	-900	195
Wichita Falls, TX	Const, mining, logging	4,200	3,700	-12%	-500	195
Anniston-Oxford, AL	Const, mining, logging	1,500	1,300	-13%	-200	209
Asheville, NC	Const, mining, logging	10,500	9,100	-13%	-1,400	209
Augusta-Richmond County, GA-SC	Const, mining, logging	12,000	10,400	-13%	-1,600	209
Baltimore-Towson, MD	Const, mining, logging	80,500	70,200	-13%	-10,300	209
Brownsville-Harlingen, TX	Const, mining, logging	4,000	3,500	-13%	-500	209
Decatur, AL	Const, mining, logging	4,500	3,900	-13%	-600	209
Des Moines-West Des Moines, IA	Const, mining, logging	16,500	14,400	-13%	-2,100	209
Florence-Muscle Shoals, AL	Const, mining, logging	4,000	3,500	-13%	-500	209
Fort Collins-Loveland, CO	Const, mining, logging	9,800	8,500	-13%	-1,300	209
Fort Walton Beach-Crestview-Destin, FL	Const, mining, logging	4,500	3,900	-13%	-600	209
Honolulu, HI	Const, mining, logging	26,300	22,800	-13%	-3,500	209
Houston-Sugar Land-Baytown, TX	Construction	204,300	178,500	-13%	-25,800	209
Indianapolis-Carmel, IN	Construction	46,000	40,000	-13%	-6,000	209
Jacksonville, FL	Construction	39,400	34,400	-13%	-5,000	209
Kingsport-Bristol-Bristol, TN-VA	Const, mining, logging	8,000	7,000	-13%	-1,000	209
Knoxville, TN	Const, mining, logging	18,100	15,800	-13%	-2,300	209
Lakeland-Winter Haven, FL	Const, mining, logging	13,000	11,300	-13%	-1,700	209
Las Cruces, NM	Const, mining, logging	4,000	3,500	-13%	-500	209
Nashville-Davidson--Murfreesboro--Franklin, TN	Const, mining, logging	38,400	33,400	-13%	-5,000	209
Norwich-New London, CT-RI NECTA	Const, mining, logging	4,000	3,500	-13%	-500	209

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Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville, FL	Const, mining, logging	12,300	10,700	-13%	-1,600	209
Panama City-Lynn Haven-Panama City Beach, FL	Const, mining, logging	5,200	4,500	-13%	-700	209
Philadelphia, PA Metropolitan Division	Const, mining, logging	75,300	65,800	-13%	-9,500	209
Pueblo, CO	Const, mining, logging	3,800	3,300	-13%	-500	209
Salem, OR	Construction	8,400	7,300	-13%	-1,100	209
Santa Ana-Anaheim-Irvine, CA Metropolitan Division	Construction	87,300	75,600	-13%	-11,700	209
Savannah, GA	Const, mining, logging	8,600	7,500	-13%	-1,100	209
Texarkana, TX-Texarkana, AR	Const, mining, logging	2,400	2,100	-13%	-300	209
Winston-Salem, NC	Const, mining, logging	9,600	8,400	-13%	-1,200	209
Albany-Schenectady-Troy, NY	Const, mining, logging	19,000	16,300	-14%	-2,700	238
Ann Arbor, MI	Const, mining, logging	4,200	3,600	-14%	-600	238
Bangor, ME NECTA	Construction	2,900	2,500	-14%	-400	238
Bellingham, WA	Const, mining, logging	7,700	6,600	-14%	-1,100	238
Boise City-Nampa, ID	Const, mining, logging	18,200	15,700	-14%	-2,500	238
Denver-Aurora-Broomfield, CO	Const, mining, logging	87,100	75,200	-14%	-11,900	238
Fayetteville, NC	Const, mining, logging	5,700	4,900	-14%	-800	238
Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford, CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	20,500	17,700	-14%	-2,800	238
Holland-Grand Haven, MI	Const, mining, logging	4,900	4,200	-14%	-700	238
Merced, CA	Const, mining, logging	2,100	1,800	-14%	-300	238
Nassau-Suffolk, NY Metropolitan Division	Const, mining, logging	74,200	64,100	-14%	-10,100	238
Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura, CA	Construction	15,500	13,400	-14%	-2,100	238
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	Construction	70,500	60,700	-14%	-9,800	238
Wilmington, DE-MD-NJ Metropolitan Division	Const, mining, logging	19,500	16,800	-14%	-2,700	238
Albuquerque, NM	Const, mining, logging	27,800	23,700	-15%	-4,100	252
Bay City, MI	Const, mining, logging	1,300	1,100	-15%	-200	252
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy, MA NECTA Division	Construction	59,400	50,700	-15%	-8,700	252
Burlington, NC	Const, mining, logging	3,300	2,800	-15%	-500	252
Chattanooga, TN-GA	Const, mining, logging	10,300	8,800	-15%	-1,500	252
Chicago-Naperville-Joliet, IL Metropolitan Division	Construction	163,600	138,700	-15%	-24,900	252
Chico, CA	Const, mining, logging	3,300	2,800	-15%	-500	252
Corvallis, OR	Const, mining, logging	1,300	1,100	-15%	-200	252
Kennewick-Pasco-Richland, WA	Const, mining, logging	6,700	5,700	-15%	-1,000	252
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall, FL Metropolitan Division	Construction	45,000	38,300	-15%	-6,700	252
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI	Const, mining, logging	66,600	56,300	-15%	-10,300	252
Stockton, CA	Construction	10,900	9,300	-15%	-1,600	252
Yuma, AZ	Const, mining, logging	3,900	3,300	-15%	-600	252
Burlington-South Burlington, VT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	5,000	4,200	-16%	-800	265
Jackson, TN	Const, mining, logging	3,100	2,600	-16%	-500	265
Kalamazoo-Portage, MI	Const, mining, logging	5,600	4,700	-16%	-900	265
Lansing-East Lansing, MI	Const, mining, logging	7,000	5,900	-16%	-1,100	265
Portland-South Portland-Biddeford, ME NECTA	Const, mining, logging	9,600	8,100	-16%	-1,500	265
Portland-Vancouver-Beaverton, OR-WA	Construction	58,900	49,700	-16%	-9,200	265
Spokane, WA	Const, mining, logging	13,900	11,700	-16%	-2,200	265
Boulder, CO	Const, mining, logging	6,400	5,300	-17%	-1,100	272
Bradenton-Sarasota-Venice, FL	Const, mining, logging	19,900	16,600	-17%	-3,300	272
Madera-Chowchilla, CA	Const, mining, logging	1,800	1,500	-17%	-300	272
Morristown, TN	Const, mining, logging	2,400	2,000	-17%	-400	272
Muskegon-Norton Shores, MI	Const, mining, logging	1,800	1,500	-17%	-300	272
Palm Coast, FL	Const, mining, logging	1,200	1,000	-17%	-200	272
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA	Construction	81,100	67,600	-17%	-13,500	272
Rocky Mount, NC	Const, mining, logging	2,900	2,400	-17%	-500	272
Saginaw-Saginaw Township North, MI	Const, mining, logging	3,600	3,000	-17%	-600	272
San Francisco-San Mateo-Redwood City, CA Metropolitan Division	Construction	42,300	35,300	-17%	-7,000	272
Springfield, MA-CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	10,400	8,600	-17%	-1,800	272
Yakima, WA	Const, mining, logging	4,100	3,400	-17%	-700	272
Bergen-Hudson-Passaic, NJ	Const, mining, logging	31,900	26,200	-18%	-5,700	284
Brockton-Bridgewater-Easton, MA NECTA Division	Const, mining, logging	5,100	4,200	-18%	-900	284
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach, FL Metropolitan Division	Construction	46,300	37,900	-18%	-8,400	284
Greensboro-High Point, NC	Const, mining, logging	17,500	14,400	-18%	-3,100	284
Greenville, NC	Const, mining, logging	3,800	3,100	-18%	-700	284
Lake Havasu City-Kingman, AZ	Const, mining, logging	4,400	3,600	-18%	-800	284
New Bedford, MA NECTA	Const, mining, logging	2,800	2,300	-18%	-500	284
Redding, CA	Const, mining, logging	3,400	2,800	-18%	-600	284
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA Metropolitan Division	Construction	93,600	77,000	-18%	-16,600	284
Wilmington, NC	Const, mining, logging	10,500	8,600	-18%	-1,900	284
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Marietta, GA	Construction	121,500	98,500	-19%	-23,000	294
Battle Creek, MI	Const, mining, logging	2,100	1,700	-19%	-400	294
Charlotte-Gastonia-Concord, NC-SC	Const, mining, logging	50,400	41,000	-19%	-9,400	294
Duluth, MN-WI	Const, mining, logging	8,000	6,500	-19%	-1,500	294
Flint, MI	Const, mining, logging	4,700	3,800	-19%	-900	294
Naples-Marco Island, FL	Const, mining, logging	13,500	10,900	-19%	-2,600	294
Orlando-Kissimmee, FL	Construction	68,800	55,600	-19%	-13,200	294
Pittsfield, MA NECTA	Const, mining, logging	1,600	1,300	-19%	-300	294
Salinas, CA	Construction	5,700	4,600	-19%	-1,100	294
Santa Cruz-Watsonville, CA	Const, mining, logging	4,300	3,500	-19%	-800	294
Detroit-Livonia-Dearborn, MI Metropolitan Division	Const, mining, logging	20,500	16,300	-20%	-4,200	304

Table 2: Construction Employment by Metropolitan Area or Division, November 2008-November 2009

<u>Area</u> ¹	<u>Industry</u> ²	<u>Nov 08</u>	<u>Nov 09</u>	<u>12-mon. % change</u>	<u>12-mon. gain/loss</u>	<u>Rank</u> ³
Greeley, CO	Const, mining, logging	11,700	9,400	-20%	-2,300	304
Mount Vernon-Anacortes, WA	Const, mining, logging	4,000	3,200	-20%	-800	304
Niles-Benton Harbor, MI	Const, mining, logging	2,000	1,600	-20%	-400	304
Pocatello, ID	Const, mining, logging	2,000	1,600	-20%	-400	304
Prescott, AZ	Const, mining, logging	6,400	5,100	-20%	-1,300	304
Provo-Orem, UT	Const, mining, logging	14,200	11,400	-20%	-2,800	304
Salt Lake City, UT	Const, mining, logging	43,200	34,600	-20%	-8,600	304
Tucson, AZ	Construction	19,600	15,600	-20%	-4,000	304
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Boynton Beach, FL Metropolitan	Construction	33,700	26,800	-20%	-6,900	304
Calvert-Charles-Prince George's, MD	Const, mining, logging	38,100	30,000	-21%	-8,100	314
Jackson, MI	Const, mining, logging	1,900	1,500	-21%	-400	314
Ogden-Clearfield, UT	Const, mining, logging	15,700	12,400	-21%	-3,300	314
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara, CA	Construction	43,400	34,300	-21%	-9,100	314
Cleveland-Elyria-Mentor, OH	Const, mining, logging	35,700	27,900	-22%	-7,800	318
Fairbanks, AK	Construction	2,300	1,800	-22%	-500	318
Flagstaff, AZ	Const, mining, logging	2,700	2,100	-22%	-600	318
Las Vegas-Paradise, NV	Construction	88,000	67,700	-23%	-20,300	321
Logan, UT-ID	Const, mining, logging	3,100	2,400	-23%	-700	321
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ	Construction	127,300	98,400	-23%	-28,900	321
Sacramento--Arden-Arcade--Roseville, CA	Construction	53,400	40,900	-23%	-12,500	321
Warren-Troy-Farmington Hills, MI Metropolitan Division	Const, mining, logging	42,800	32,800	-23%	-10,000	321
Cape Coral-Fort Myers, FL	Const, mining, logging	22,800	17,400	-24%	-5,400	326
Medford, OR	Construction	4,500	3,400	-24%	-1,100	326
Raleigh-Cary, NC	Const, mining, logging	36,600	27,800	-24%	-8,800	326
Clarksville, TN-KY	Const, mining, logging	3,600	2,700	-25%	-900	329
Leominster-Fitchburg-Gardner, MA NECTA	Const, mining, logging	2,000	1,500	-25%	-500	329
Santa Fe, NM	Const, mining, logging	4,600	3,400	-26%	-1,200	331
Grand Junction, CO	Const, mining, logging	10,600	7,700	-27%	-2,900	332
St. George, UT	Const, mining, logging	5,900	4,300	-27%	-1,600	332
Reno-Sparks, NV	Construction	14,700	10,600	-28%	-4,100	334
Wenatchee-East Wenatchee, WA	Const, mining, logging	2,900	2,100	-28%	-800	334
Kokomo, IN	Const, mining, logging	1,600	1,100	-31%	-500	336
El Centro, CA	Const, mining, logging	1,400	900	-36%	-500	337

Footnotes:

¹ **Area:** Metropolitan statistical areas (MSAs) are designated by the Office of Management and Budget. MSAs generally cover one or more entire counties or county equivalents or New England City and Town Area (NECTA) in the six New England states. Each MSA is listed under the state in which the largest part of its population lives, even though the first (most populous) city in the MSA's name may be in an adjoining state. There are 11 MSAs with more than 2,500,000 people. Employment in these MSAs is presented in two or more divisions (Div.) or subdivisions, rather than for the MSA as a whole

² **Industry:** The Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) reports employment for construction, mining and logging combined for six states, the District of Columbia and MSAs in which mining and logging have only a small number of employers. To facilitate comparisons between MSAs and the states they are in, AGC has calculated combined employment change in states for which BLS reports the industries separately.

³ **Rank:** AGC calculated ranks based on the 12-month percent change, rounded to the nearest whole percent. Because BLS reports employment rounded to the nearest 100, it is not possible to calculate percent changes more accurately than to the nearest whole percent. Thus, all MSAs with the same whole-percent change in employment are ranked the same.